SENATE BILL 2840 By Bowers

AN ACT to amend Tennessee Code Annotated, Title 5 and Title 6, relative to regulation of code enforcement funds.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE:

SECTION 1. Tennessee Code Annotated, Title 5, Chapter 20, Part 1, is amended by adding a new section as follows:

§ 5-20-107.

Any county agency or department responsible for code enforcement shall utilize funds appropriated to it, including all revenues generated from fees, penalties, or interest, solely for the administration of the agency or department and for enforcing the building codes adopted for that district.

SECTION 2. Tennessee Code Annotated, Title 6, Chapter 54, Part 5, is amended by adding a new section as follows:

§ 6-54-511.

Any municipal agency or department responsible for code enforcement shall utilize funds appropriated to it, including all revenues generated from fees, penalties, or interest, solely for the administration of the agency or department and for enforcing the building codes adopted for that district.

SECTION 3. This act shall take effect upon becoming law, the public welfare requiring it.